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Dates/Deadlines

- October 11 & 18
Fall Workshops in Great Bend & Kansas City
- October 18
Founder's Day
- October 25
Make a Difference Day
- November 15
File IRS form 990
File State Corporation Report



From Sue's Quill...

Fall is in the air! Did you get your Fall Workshop registration sent in?

We will have a special guest at the KC Workshop – Pilot International Vice President Gwen Yarbrough, our Executive Committee Representative. Let's give her a big Kansas Missouri welcome.

The **lunch menu**: for Great Bend **Oct. 11** – Soups Chicken Noodle, Green Bean Ham and Dumpling, Taco, Corn Chowder and Sausage; Relishes and Cinnamon Rolls.

For Kansas City **Oct. 18** – Soups Cheeseburger Potato, White Chicken Chili, Vegetable and Chicken Tortilla; Mixed Green Salads (2) and Dessert.

- * Be sure to send the paper work for new members to PI, District Treasurer, Secretary and Governor.
- * Has your club decided on a District Officer visit or the Pick Me Up grant from Pilot International? Communicate with your club District Officer rep to coordinate a visit.
- * Did you do well on the Pilot Trivia? Answers are in this edition.
- * October is Founders Month and Membership Month– have a special program; invite guests to a fun project or fundraiser. Planning is the process of reaching your goals. Planning is a continual process. There is no right or wrong!
- * Care and Kindness Week is November 9th through the 15th, ideal time to plan some Pick Me Ups.
- * The Midwest District has PIP's and so does Kansas –Missouri. PILOTS IN PRESS. Take pictures of your activities and send them to your local media, the Governor's Bulletin editor and to PI.

Sue Penn, KS-MO District Governor

District Secretary

Hello everyone! Woo hoo! It's fall! I'm not sure if you could tell, but that is my favorite time of year. One of the reasons why I like fall so much is coming up pretty quickly- Fall District Workshop. It's a great reason to get together with friends from other Pilot Clubs, learn, and have some fun.

Another reason for my excitement- new Pilot friends! Here are new members:

Karen Strathman	Sunflower
Jill Baitly	Shawnee Mission
Janis Jilg	Pratt
Jane Jacobs	Gyp Hills

Welcome to the KS-MO District! Have a wonderful fall everyone, and I hope I get to see many of you soon!

Jennifer Butler, KS-MO District Secretary



Chaplain's Corner

**To the world, you might be one person.
But to one person, you just might be
the world.**

May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord make His face shine upon you and give you peace forever.

Ann Appleton, ama37@twinvalley.net



District Treasurer

PILOT INTERNATIONAL has rescinded the ruling regarding insurance for members in special classes

Previously---Each club with (1) Fifty Year Members, (2) current students seeking higher education degrees, (3) scholarship recipients, (4) Emeritus Members, and (5) military personnel deployed from their home station, still need to pay \$6 for insurance to PI. This would normally be paid with the regular dues. **PI has reconsidered and rescinded** this charge to members and clubs. If you submitted the insurance for these members you will receive a refund from PI.

FALL WORKSHOP REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS NOW!

REGISTRATION for your club members attending the October 11 Great Bend and/or the October 18 Overland Park Fall Workshop is **DUE now!!!** Send \$20 per member registration and a copy of the completed registration form and **one club check** to District Treasurer Rhonda Knudson, PO Box 287, Great Bend KS 67530

CLUB TREASURERS:

Calendar notice: All clubs must file form 990 – You can do this by E-Postcard at <http://epostcard.form990.org>. Fulfilling this requirement is very important in order for Pilot International Foundation to maintain its 501(c)(3) status. e-Postcard (Form 990-N) - Electronic Filing Requirement for Small Tax-Exempt Organizations - Annual Electronic Notice: Small tax-exempt organizations (those normally with annual gross receipts up to \$25,000 (\$50,000 for tax years ending on or after December 31, 2010) may be required to file an annual electronic notice, Form 990-N, Electronic Notice (e-Postcard) for Tax-Exempt Organizations not Required To File Form 990 or 990-EZ.

Due Date of the e-Postcard: The e-Postcard is due every year by the 15th day of the 5th month after the close of your tax year.

ALSO DON'T FORGET TO GO TO THE STATE SECRETARY OF STATE website and file the report and pay your (\$40 KANSAS) (\$10/\$15 MISSOURI) non-

profit filing fees. Due every year by the 15th day of the 5th month after the close of your tax year. ANNUAL REPORT FILING can be done on line.

Rhonda Knudson, rkudson@amfam.com

District Coordinator News

Fund Raising

The Wonderful Opportunities of the Fall Season

Whatever we decide to call our Fundraiser...Frolic, Frenzy, Festival or whatever fun and catchy name we put on it, fall's window of opportunity, September to December is a great season for fund-raisers.

Nuts are a natural for fall weather. The Gyp Hills Pilot Club in Medicine Lodge is making final preparations for their "Gyp Hills Pilot Club has gone Nuts" event that will coincide with the Indian Summer Days held in Medicine Lodge during the last weekend of September. Members bake wonderful deserts like Pecan Pie or make snacks like caramel popcorn with pecans for this fund raiser. The event is also the kick-off for nut sales that continue through the winter.

What's your event going to be called? I sure hope that you can take advantage of this season and make your club some money. We have the weather; we have the spirit; and we have the window of opportunity.

What are you waiting for? Get out there and have some Fall Fun and make some \$\$\$\$.

Mariann Jarboe, Coordinator

Message from ECR Gwen Yarbrough

Greetings Pilots,

We cannot think of a better way to celebrate Membership Month than by sharing Pilot with a friend or acquaintance! During October, let's all strive to recruit at least one person. Imagine if just one quarter of our Pilots & Anchors brought in one member; we could increase our membership by almost 4,000! WOW wouldn't that be FANTASTIC!

Have you heard of the P.I.F.F.? You may have and not even known it. It's the Pilot International Founder's Fund. The Founder's Fund is Pilot International's charitable arm which allows us to Do More, Care More and Be More in our world. One of the great aspects of the Founder's Fund is that anyone can contribute - individual Pilots, clubs, districts, and non-Pilots alike can give.

Clubs can be designated as "Pacesetter" by donating \$10 per active member and also as a "250 Club" by donating \$250 towards the GOAL for grants and scholarships. They can also name a club "Sweetheart" and donate a minimum of \$25. A Pilot can be a "250 Member" by donating \$250 towards the GOAL. Whether a donation is one dollar or thousands of dollars, they all work together, and we appreciate your continued

support of these programs. Just this past year, Founders Fund awarded 34 Grants and 40 Scholarships. Your generous donations are making a difference in communities and in the lives of students around the world. This is our mission in action!

As we celebrate Founder's Day on October 18, let's all remember that we have had 93 amazing years of service and friendship! In seven short years Pilot International will celebrate its 100th anniversary, and we need to continue with all of your incredible work in communities throughout the world.

On October 25, millions of volunteers across the nation will unite with a common mission – to improve the lives of others. For more than 20 years, USA WEEKEND Magazine, in collaboration with Points of Light, has brought you **Make a Difference Day**, the largest national day of community service. Consider this day a perfect opportunity to give Pick Me Up's in your community.

Next month is our Annual Care and Kindness Week (9-16 November) I challenge each club in every district to have at least one Pick Me Up during this week. Be sure to send photos and a short description of your project to Pilot International. It will be so much fun to see everyone's pictures at our 2015 PI Convention in Orlando.

Gwen Yarbrough, Pilot International Vice President & 2014-15 ECR

Club News

Great Bend

Governor Sue accompanied District Secretary Jennifer Butler for an official visit. During the lunch meeting, Jennifer shared the DAC vision. After the meeting the planning committee for the Great Bend October 11 Fall Workshop escorted Governor Sue and Jennifer around the First Presbyterian Church where the meeting will be held



←Governor Sue, GB pilot president Marcia Johnson, and Jennifer Butler



Betty Schneider, Jennifer Butler, Marcia Johnson, Judy Fox, and Governor Sue→

The Great Bend Pilots for many years have come together and made quilts for the community and the foster children in our area. This year fleece blankets were added to the project. This is one of the most fun and rewarding of the projects that we do all year. Betty Schneider and Lois Brichacek are the project leaders.



Great Bend fleece blanket project

Little Apple

Little Apple Pilot Club was one of the sponsors for the Anthony Bates Cardiac Screening held Sept. 14 at the K-State Student Union in Manhattan. Eleven Pilot members assisted with the screenings, and 318 college and high school athletes and others were screened. Thirty-four potential heart issues were detected, including one case of hypertrophic cardiomyopathy, 14 EKG issues, 15 blood pressure problems, and 4 others that need follow-up on other symptoms. We possibly saved lives! From the proceeds of sponsorships, the Foundation is donating two AEDs (fibulators) back to the Manhattan community.

Sharon Bates' son Anthony was a KSU football player who collapsed and died of undetected hypertrophic cardiomyopathy in 2000, and in his memory she created the Anthony Bates Foundation to conduct cardiac screenings all over the country for student athletes.



Seated from left Donna McCallum, Donna Springer, Donna Rogers, Annelise Nguyen. Back row: Eileen Hinkin, Nancy Farrar, Deloris Berland, Cathy Waugh

Prairie

Prairie Pilots Becci Barlow and Karissa Marble help with registration at Families Together Family Fling. Families



Together provides services for families with children who have special needs. Prairie Pilots provided volunteers and the food for the event.

President Carol Hirsh presents a \$500 check to Flint Hills Therapeutic Riding Center board member at their Hoedown fundraiser. The funds will be used for scholarships to provide hippo therapy for riders with disabilities. Pilots also helped with registration and the silent auction at the event.



Pratt

Pilot Club of Pratt sponsored a Western Day on September 6 at Sixth Street Park. Engineer Bob Angerer is driving the Pilot Express by an Indian village part of the fun activities provided for the community. Pilot Indian maidens helped visitors make bead jewelry in the village. Live Western music, games, food, and train rides were enjoyed by everyone.



Sunflower

Scholarship recipients from Kansas State University attended Sunflower's luncheon and shared their educational journey. Pictured below are Prashant S. Wani, a Ph.D. candidate in the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics, and Jeanne Liu, Biological and Agricultural Engineering



Miscellaneous

Pilot Sweethearts

Great Bend	Sally O'Conner and Mary Cramer
Gyp Hills	Cindy Ricke
Junction City	Marjorie Davis
Lawrence	Tricia Boyd
Little Apple	Donna Rogers
Manhattan	Mary Bowen
Prairie Pilot	Rose Penner
Pratt	Diana Harris
Sunflower	Judy Wells

Pilot Trivia Answers

1. *PIFF is the abbreviation for*
A. Pilot International Founders Fund
2. *The Pilot Motto*
A. Friendship and Service
3. *The Official Pilot Song*
C. Sail On International
4. *Pilot International was founded in*
B. Macon Georgia
5. *Pilot Code of Ethics was written by*
A. Pearl Sparks
6. *What rule applies to the Code of Ethics?*
B. Read only by a Pilot
7. *You must be a charter member or have been a member for this many years to become an emeritus member?*
C. 15
8. *How many PI Presidents have been from the KS-MO District?*
B. 3
9. *Who was the 1st PI President?*
C. Lucy Allen
10. *The KS-MO District was established in*
C. 1950
11. *The Ruby Newhall Scholarship is offered to*
A. International Student
12. *The 1st Charter presentation was held at*
B. Dempsey Hotel
13. *The 1st official Pilot club meeting was held on*
D. Oct. 16, 1921
14. *Pilot youth organization Anchor Club was organized in*
C. 1952
15. *Georgia was the 1st District. What state was the second District?*
C. Alabama
16. *The Pilot Log was 1st published as a 2 page mimeo bulletin in*
C. January 1924
17. *Following WWII Pilot helped rebuild the village of*
C. Vemoutier, France
18. *How many clubs in our District?*
C. 14



Do More. Care More. Be More.

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